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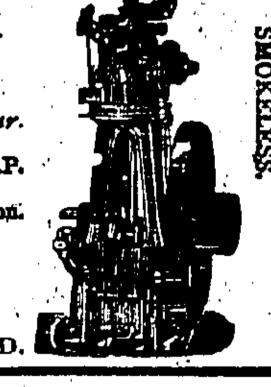
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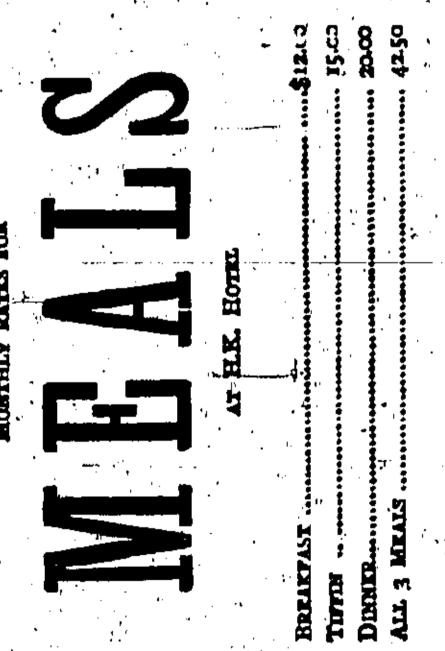
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THE TWENTY-SEVENTH ORDINARY DERS in the above COMPANY will be held at the OFFICE of the COMPANY, Pedder's Street, on THURSDAY, the syth proxime, at Noos, to receive a Statement of Accounts to first. December, 1841, and the Report of the General Managers, and to elect a Consulting Committee and Anditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the rath to the 27th pecielist, beth days inclusive TARDINE, MATHESON & Ca, 74 Hand of Control Manager HOMOROUS FIRE IMPURANCE COMPANY. LD.

CITY CLUB. HE SIXTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the MEMBERS will be held in the CLUB House on TUESDAY, February 11th, at 9 P.M. E. K. CHANDLER,

Secretary. Hongkong, 3rd February, 1806. MRE CHEUNG.

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OTICE is hereby given that the MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the OFFICE of the GENERAL MANAGERS, No. 5, Queen's Road Central, on MONDAY, the 10th February, 1895, at 3 o'clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, together with a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1895.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 1st to the 10th February, (both days inclusive).

MEYER & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 1st February, 1896. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION. NTOTICE is becoby given that the ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEET-ING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Coapo-RATION will be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the Fifteenth day of February next, at NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to great

December, 1805.

By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON.

Chief Manager. Hongkong, 27th January, 1895. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NTOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTERS OF SHARES of the CORPORATION will be CLOSED from SATURDAY the First to the Fifteenth day of February next, (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered. By Order of the Court of Directors,

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager

Hongkong, 27th January, 1896. THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOOM

WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LD. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE NINTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above COMPANY will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICE, No. 4. Prava Central, at 12 o'clock (NOON), on MONDAY, the 17th February next, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, with a Statement of Accounts to 31st

December, 1805.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 8th to the 17th February, both days inclusive. EDWARD OSBORNE.

Secretary. Hongkong, 3rd February, 1896. THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE TWENTY-SEVENTH ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS In the COMPANY will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICE, No. 3, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, on WEDNESDAY, the 10th February, at Twelve o'clock NOOM, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December,

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 5th to the 19th idem, both days inclusive. By Order.

GEO. L. TOMLIN, Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 27th January, 1896. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be keld at the OFFICES of the COMPANY, No. 14, Praya Central, on MONDAY, the 24th February, 1895, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statement of Accounts

to the 31st December, 1806.
The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 24th February, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors, R. COOKE.

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OF HONGKONG No. 618, S.C.

A N EMERGENCY MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREEMASONS HALL Zetland Street, THIS EVENING, the 7th instant, at 8 for 8.30 o'clock precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited to attend. Hongkong, 7th February, 1806.

ZETLAND

No. 525, E.C.

NEMERGENCY MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREEMASONS! HALL, Zetland Street, on FRIDAY, the 14th instant, at 5 for 5.30 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited to attend. Hongkong, 7th February, 1806.

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Hongkong, 7th February, 1896. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY.

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THE Undermentioned BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business on THURSDAY, the 13th instant :-For the CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA. T. H. WHITEHEAD,

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MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA. LIMITED. J. W. R. TAYLOR, Manager, Hongkong.

For the BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE, Hongkong Agency. Manager. For the BANK OF CHINA & JAPAN, LIMITED,

HONGKONG. CHANTREY INCHBALD, Manager. Hongkong, 7th February, 1806.

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION. No. 68.

THE OPIUM EXAMINATION OFFICE and STATIONS of the Kowloon CUSTOM HOUSE will be CLOSED from the 12th to the 15th of February inclusive, in observance of the CHINESE NEW YEAR'S FESTIVAL.

H. M. HILLIER. Acting Commissioner of Customs for Kowloon and District.

Custom House. Kowloon, 7th February, 1896.

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Hongkong, 10th January, 1806.

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HONGKONG, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1896.

TELEGRAMS

REUTER'S MESSAGES.

THE LATE PRINCE HENRY. LONDON, February 5th. The funeral of the late Prince Henry

Battenburg was an imposing Military ceremony. THE UNITED STATES BOND ISSUE. The issue of the United States Bonds was

covered five times. GERMANY AND SOUTH AFRICA. It is reported from Capetown that the visit of Mr. Leyds of Berlin in connected with a German purchase of seven miles of land on the coast of

> (From Tonkin Papers.) THE TONKIN LOAN,

Delagoa Bay.

PARIS, January 26th. The debate on the Tonkin loan was continued on Thursday, when M. Hubbard proposed that no additional public works should be undertaken in the colony. M. Rousseau was loudly applauded by the Chamber, and delivered vigorous discourse in which he insisted on the necessity of the Tonkin loan for public works, and asserted that very shortly the Colony would be well able to support itself, Cochin-China: and would cease to burden to the mother country. After further discussion the Hubbard amendment was thrown out, and the loan ultimately voted without a division. A Commission has been appointed of two Senators and two Deputies to examine into all anterior contracts and to fix responsibility for their imperfect completion.

THE WAR IN ABYSSINIA.

PARIS, January 26th. .The Italians, after suffering severe privations in Makaleh, have capitulated to the Abyssinian army, and marched out of the town with their and baggage.

RUSSIA AND FRANCE.

PARIS, January 28th. A special credit of one million france demanded for the expenses of the delegates who will be present at the coronation of the Tsar on the 12th of May next.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

LI SHUM Yo, the favorite grandson of th Tai-won Kun, is now in Tokio.

Kucheng Massacre at Shanghal during the current week.

COLONEL Thomas H. Anstey has been appointed Colonel on the Staff, commanding the Royal Engineers, China and Hongkong,

THE kobs Chronicle reports that the cost repairs to the Sakata Maru, necessitated by s fire on board, will amount to \$30,000.

THE Johan Advertiser learns from Tokio papers that the Nippon Yusen Kaisha has decided to operate a Kuropean line in March next.

On the 10th ulto, a Japanese painter on the Merionethshire accidentally fell down the held and fractured his skull instantaneous death

TO-MORROW afternoon, in the semi-final for the SHERRY .- Excellent Dinner and Alter Dinner | Hongkong Football | Cup, Kowloon will play Wines of very superior Vintages. All are | "B" Company, R. B. (kick-off at) 4 p.m. Referentials, King Jan 1931 and A. D. a.

missionaries.

THE Yokohama Electric Light Company proposes to increase its capital with a view to erecting another engine, shed. The company now furnishing light for 6,544 lamps.

Miss Helen Gould, daughter of the late Mr. Jay Gould, has completed the fall gours of the law school of New York University, coming out with a brilliant average, and will receive a diplome

commenced-to-day and will be continued tr-Captain Logan and the officers of the flagship, the band of the Centurion will play on the ground to-morrow afternoon.

SIR Gerald Graham and Lord Wolseley were in the Crimea together as subalterns, and six years afterwards fought side by side in China. Lord Wolseley, speaking of his companion in arms, man, the man most insensible to danger, I ever

THIS morning a dead coolie was picked up by the Police nest the Harbour Office, and it is believed he succumted to Black Plague. "It is probable the deceased was thrown out of some lodging-bouse near by to prevent the trouble and expense which would ensue were the house in which he died known to the sanitary authorities.

AT the meeting of the Municipal Commissioners at Singapore on the 20th ultimo the following letter from the Colonial Secretary was read :---"Sir,-I am discred by the Governor to inform you that, on the 20th instant, a telegram was received from the Colonial Secretary, Hongkong, in reply to inquiry made by this Government, stating that a few sporadic cases of bubonic plague had occurred in Hongkovg, but that no reports of the existence of the disease at other Chinese ports had been received. Steps will be taken to obtain periodical reports as to the progress of the disease."

A MEETING of the Legislative Council will be held on Tuesday, the 11th lustant, at 3 p.m. BUSINESS :--

(1.) Financial Minute, No. 1.

(2.) Sanitary Byc-laws.

ORDERS OF THE DAY !-(1.) First reading of a Bill entitled "An Ordinance to prevent doubts as to the validity

of documents heretofore sealed with the Seal of the Colonial Court of Admiralty of Hongkong." (2.) First reading of a Bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend and consplidate the Law

relating to Factors." (3.) First reading of a Bill entitled "An Ordinance for codifying the Law relating to the

Sale of Goods," (4) First reading of a Bill entitled "Au Ordinance to amend the practice as to the vacating of the registration of a Lis pendens." (5.) First reading of a Bill entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the extradition of

Fugitive Criminals from the Territory of the British North Borneo Company," (6.) First reading of a Bill entitled "An Ordinance for the Incorporation of the President in Hongkong of the Basel Evangelical Mis-

sionary Society." (7.) Committee on the Bill entitled "Au-Ordinance to amend the Law as to certain Moneys paid into the Supreme Court or to the

Registrar thereof." N.B.—Meetings of the Finance and Public Works Committees will be held after the meeting of the Legislative Council.

THE Japan Mail of the 22ed ultime deals editorially with the acquittal of Viscount Miura, late Minister to Kores, by 'the Court at Hiroshims. It contends that the death of the Oueen could not have been included in the programms of the coup d'stat, and that, as a consequence, the acquittal on the charge of being an accessory to the murder of the Queen must have failed. The Mall considers that Miura remains nothing more than a very reckless diplomatic blunderer, for whom deprivation office and permanent retirement are the only penalties that can be inflicted. The adoption this course, the Mail thinks, would definitely dissociate the Japanese Government from all participation in the acts of its agent. On the agth the same journal summarises the opinions of the leading Tokio journals on the subject. The Nicks Nicks thinks that the acquittal on the criminal charge was a foregone conclusion, but at the same time, by the acquittal the Government is in no way cleared of its responsibility, and on it now devolves the duty of adequately punishing its agent for a flagrant breach of instructions and the exercise of powers beyond those attaching to his office. world that the Japanese Government accepts the responsibility for the coup d'sidi, and they unite in calling upon the Cabinet to resign and thus wipe out the disgrace they have brought upon the fair name of Dai Nippon. The Nippon, on the other hand, thinks the acquittal has wiped out the stain on Japan's name, and therefore rejoices and is exceeding glad.

MEMORANDA.

FRIDAY, -7th February. 8.30 p.m.—Meeting of St, John's Lodge.

SATURDAY, -- 8th February. The Transfer Books of the H.K. and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., closed from 8th to 17th fast. Noon .- China leaves for San Francisco, via

usual ports of call, 2.30 p.m.—Auction of porcelain, etc., at Mr. G. budget is about as much as space can be found. P. Lammert's sale-rooms, Duddell Street, I C D.M. A.D.C. Performance at the Theatre Royal, City Hall

OFFICIAL returns show 717 foreigners in Kobe | His Holiness the Pope is reported to have and 193 in Osaks. Most of the latter are granted a French Hitterateur primission to write his biography, and for this purpose has given bim free access to the family archives of the Counts Pecci, in Carpineto,

> A CORRESPONDENT of the Daily Chronicle th describes President Kruger as he appeared when in England after the Transvaul war:---"I remember Kruger, fat and slow, with a face the colour of parchment, and his hands and month stained with tobacco juice. He seldom was without a very strong cigar In his mouth. He had a most untidy appearance, and thought nothing of receiving visitors in his shirt sleaves.".

CRICKET match, the Club v. the Navy IT is reported in a London paper received by the French mail that the moves of British regiments morrow. By permission of Admiral Buller, throughout the world, next trooping season, have been approved. Of the Infantry regiments. which will change their stations, the 1st Battalion King's Royal Rift: Corps (60th) will go to the Cape from India, and the 2nd Battalion of the same regiment, now stationed at Maits, will go on to India. It is only four years since the and Battalion left home, and five years since the 1st Bettallon went abroad. The rat Battallon refers to Sir Gerald as "perhaps the bravest of the Rifle Brigade, which has been abroad for upwards of fifteen years, will make only a short move from Hongkong to Singapors; and the and Battalion of the Royal Welsh Fusiliers, which will by next season have had nearly seventenn years at home, will procued to Malta.

SPORTING GOSSIP.

I hear that some people who, although they do rot own race-ponier, take a gord deal o interest in Hongkong's great annual carnival are disappointed because I have not reviewed the entries for the meeting which (D.V. and .W.P.) commences on the 20th instant. As a matter of fact I have postponed this important part of my duty for the very good reason that were I to go into details respecting the merits of the various spilaters, stayers, creeks and cripples at the present moment it is highly probable that before many days have gone by I should have cause to amend my statement considerably, Probably about Wednesday or Thursday next the ponies - especially the 'cracks'-will be trained down to such a fine point and will have done so many gallops in good company that I shall then be able to form an opinion of them which will be worth recording in the Hongkong Telegraph, but anything of the rost during the past few days would have been as useless as it would have been distinctly premature and foolish. In due course will do the needful. China ponies are the reverse of reliable at the best of times, and no wonder. seeing that they are taken off "the plains of Mongolia and subjected to a precess of rapid transformation which the constitution of a horse can alone stand. And it is, indeed, little wonder that the life of the Mongolian racer is as a rule short after he has been initiated in the mysteries of western civilization.

I've just received a copy of the report of the Singapore Sporting Club, which was to be presented at the annual general meeting to be held this afternoon in the Exchange. It is an unusually interesting report and I therefore think it worthy of invertion in these notes. It

The Committee is sgain able to submit a satisfactory statement of the Club's accounts showing a credit balance of \$662.92.

In May last a lease for 20 years was entered into with the owners of about g acres of land adjoining the Race Course, which has been laid out to great advantage, giving increased accommodation in the Paddock, Lawn, Servants Ouarters, _&c. _ Considerable _ expenditure _ hasbeen incurred in improving this property, raising and enlarging the Lawn, constructing a new bridge, drainage, and making roads, all of which are

now of a permanent character. of any previous years, and the Committee are of opinion that the increased value of prizes is ap-

preciated by owners. construction of the new Members' Stand, etc. about 10.10 p.m. She was then going slow, This building has been completed and is much I believe. She was at reduced speed—say Stewards, and is of strong and durable con-

popularity of the Club. In November last the sanction of the members | lights at Hungham Docks quite clearly. I was given to the Club forming part of the saw a buoy on the starboard bow a minute Strafts Racing Association," which comprises or two before striking, and reported it. all the Racing Clubs in the Straits, and it is did not know what buoy it was, but considered that this will be beneficial to owners | thought it must be far outside. I think it was as well as to the Club, the main object of the one of the Dock buoys, and not the Cust Association, being to have uniform Rules of Rock one. It was a drum buoy, not a conical Racing and have a Central Committee of Appeal | buoy. It was flood tide when we were coming

under six fullowers 2 224 of six fullower and we may conved the engines to see if we could under a mile; 486 of one mile; 215 over one head the ship in shore. Previous to this s mile and under two; '46 over two and under, Water Police constable had boarded the ship and three miles : 8 over three and under four miles ; | gone to the Captain. When we found the foreand 3 of four miles. The above races were con- bold was full of water the constable was The lested by 3,080 horses in increase of 183 over | called about to give us local informa-REV. W. Hannister was to lecture on the verdict is equivalent to an announcement to the 1804. Of this number 1,207 were two years old; thou as to where to beach the ship. The old; and 475 were five years old, or upwards. glanced off and went on. Alter her head was There was little difference, as compared with the pointed for North Point we went full speed provious year's totals, except in the three years sheed to get steerage way, and she was run olds, which tops from 779 in 1894 to goo in 1895. shore and beached. She took the ground their predecessors. There was an increase of telegraph cables which run ashore just about 17 in the seveniles and of to in the older horses. there. Exclusive of matches and private sweepstakes, which amounted to £715, the total value of in the chains. I think the East entrance was the stakes were during 1895 was:—In England, chosen because the Captain kasw that passage L454,748 51. I in Scotland, £11,507 1 and best, and it was nearer from our last port—Main Ireland £21,633 18. 8d.—making a grand nile. We were drawing 21 it. 9 inches (mean) total of £487,888 6s. 8d., Teu years ago the amount raced for was £423,812 16; 8d, and in courses were steered by the compass. I think 1874 the figures were £327.150 198. These the Captain was off the bridge several times. sums include only the winnings of the first laying off courses. I estimated when passing horse, and are exclusive of record and third the Docks we were two to three cables lengths prisos. It will be seen that twenty years ago of them heading for Hongkong. We did not see the prizes won averaged £165 for each horse in | the Channel Rocks. training, while in 1895 the average was \$1574 By the President :-- I did not think the tide

> with 'clock' in hand, and shall have tone of properly, I expected the ship to be brought training notes for your next fourt I guase this for to-day,

EARLY BIRD,

CATTLE DISEASE IN HONGKONG.

During the past week persistent rumpurs of an outbreak of cattle disease in the Colony led to investigations by a member of the staff of this fournal, who ascertained that for once, at all events, Dame Rumour was right. It appears that about a month ago a Chinese milk vendor, whose "dairy" is situated in Wanchal, bought a cow off some steamer then in post and which had arrived from Japan. It was soon seen that this cow was sick, and sho died in a cow-shed in Kennedy Street, Wanchai, which is owned by Wing Hop. Soon after this two of Chee Bee's cows (Chee Bee, it seems, kept cows in one of Wing Hop's sheds) gave up the ghost, and were carted through the public streets and buried in Sec Koon Poo (Kefehin) valley. Then, about 15 days ago, Wing Hop transported the whole of his cows, about 20 in number, to Chinese Kowloon, where a few of them soon succumbed to the ravages of pleuro-pneumonia, while Chee Bee drove his cows from Wanchal to Kefehin and housed them there. At the present moment it appears that the cattle in the alleged. "dairles " at Wanchai are healthy, but exactly why Wing Hop suddenly took his cattle to the mainland of China, outside British jurisdiction, is a matter which he may see fit to explain when called upon to do so before he resumes " bis" at Wanchal.

The Chinese dairies in this colony require very careful supervision, and so do the goatsheds, and, as was pointed out in the Telegraph about three years ago, only those sheds which are in proper order and are not overcrowded with cattle, coolles and ragged urchins should be allowed to be used as dairies. Moreover, it might be well were a rule made limiting the time for the confinement of cows in sheds, and insisting on competent persons testing the milk sold from Chinese dairies before it reaches

consumers or city depots. While on the subject of milk it may be as well to ask why so many Government establishments, including some hospitals, are supplied with milk from Chinese dairies? Is it because Chinese dairy produce is cheaper than that retailed by dairies managed by Europeans, and which are under the constant supervision of thoroughly competent European dairymen?

> THE ACCIDENT TO THE " ONSANG!

MARINE COURT OF INQUIRY.

A Court of Inquiry wisembled at the Harbour Office this morning to investigate the circumstances connected with the stranding of the British steamer Onsang, official number 105.745, of London, on the 20th ultimo, in the harboar of Hongkong, while under the command of William Vize Carmichael and while entering the port at

The Court was constituted as follows:--Comdr. R. Murray Rameay, R.N., Harbour Master, President, Commander Keppel Wade, (H.M.S. Centurion), Captain Henry Pybus, (master, R.M.S. Empress of India), Captain John Panton, R.N.R., (master of the steamer Vicioria), and David Owen, (Master of the

steamship Adowa.) Assessors. When the Court had assembled the President said :- I have to inform the Cout'that the late Captain of the Onsang has left the Colony. Under the circumstances in which the Court is placed, i days of visit the first and second officers and first and second engineers in order to obtain . Il the evidence available. Call the Chief

Albert Edward Hargraves, first officer of the

Onsang, said :- I was the chief officer of the steamer Ousang, a new ship, which arrived off Flongkong about 9.45 p.m. of fanuary 20th. I left the bridge when off the island of Tamtu being relieved by the second officer. The Captain was on the bridge. I went on the forecastle head. It was a hazy night and the The amount paid in prize money exceeds that | top of the Peak was clouded over. I had no special instructions to keep a look qut-only to get the anchors ready. There was a look-out man with me on the forecastic-a Chinaman. The balance of debentures on the Grand Stand | After getting through Ly-ce-moon we passed no (\$1,500) has been paid off and other depentures junks or boats before striking. The harbour to the value of \$8,000 have been issued for the was very clear. The ship struck the rocks appreciated. It affords ample accommodation about 3 or 4 knots. I heard the telegraph ring on for the requirements of the Members and two occasions between Ly-ec-moon and the scene of the accident. I received no orders from the bridge after passing Ly-ca-moon. The ship Subscriptions under this heading show an came up to opposite the Dock all right, though increase of \$750 over last year's receipts. The | do not know the courses. As I understood from total active membership now stands at 493 as | the Master that he was going to anchor in the against 273 in 1891, which shows the growing vicinity of Kellett Island, I then kept a look-out for further lights in that direction. I saw the to decide . Il questions in dispute submitted to it. in. I asked the Captain where he intended to anchor, but I had no consultation with him. had been into Hongkong before, and knew that From the Racing Calendar it appears that in the Captain had also been here. I had never 1895 there were 7,787 races decided in Great been here with him. I have entered the harbour Britain and Ireland, as compared with 1,768 in before under the same conditions. I mentioned 1804 and 1.713 in 1804. The races of the past | that a strong tide was running. The Captain season consisted of Sog of five furiongs and knew the barbour well. After the ship struck The four-year-old figures were identical with very early. She was beached just clear of the

By the Assessors :-- There was one leadsman

would affect the course after passing Lycenicon. As I shall be on the job to morrow morning, were altered, but I thought she was headed up to Kellett Island. I saw the bury 3 of 4 miauter after passing the lights of the Dock. Knowing the Captain intended to enchor off Kellett Island I expected him to keep nearer the I Houghton short: 3 vew lights in the Berguand

Rocks, but do not know how many times,

Off Cape Collision the engines were going full speed, and we came through Lycemoon pass at full speed. After clearing the pass the Captain kept the ship's head as he thought fit. I did not know the harbour well enough to form an . opinion of the ship's position. I do not remember much of the lights. I remember a buoy being reported from the forecastle. We were never steering for the Dock. The Dock lights were always on the starboard bow. I did not notice if the course was being altered to counteract the set to starboard by the tide. The buoy we sighted was not a conical buoy. I do not know if the course was altered after sighting the buoy. The Captain Boked at the buoy and did not seem at all uneasy. It was shortly after this we struck. Before we reached the Dock the engines were put slow. This is the only time the telegraph was used.

By the Assessors :-- The buoy appeared close alongside—say half a cable. The vessel's full speed is about nine knots, "Stand by" was the order while coming through the pass. By the President :- The Captain left the

bridge several times to consult the chart in his room under the bridge-I think three times. He told me he was going to look at the chart. He was only away a short time. The Captain was perfectly sober. I have neven seen him under the influence of drink. When the buoy was reported the Captain went to the chartroom. It was quite two minutes after the buoy was sighted before we struck.

The Chief Officer, recalled, said-On the night in question the Captain was perfectly sober. have never seen him under the influence of drink. After sighting the buby, the ship's head was turned more toward the Kowloon side, and I left the farecastle head to see about it. I do not know what order was given. It was only a slight change. As I got on to the bridge the ship struck. I intended to tell the Captain we were too close in when passing the buoy. We thought when we struck we had only hit a buoy. We did not think it was a rock. I went on the bridge because I thought, from seeing the buoy and the red light on Kowloon side (telegraph anchorage) we were too close in.

After brief deliberation the Court delivered the following

From the evidence before it the Court has formed the opinion that the Master would have displayed better judgment if he had not attempted to make the port at night, as his local knowledge did not justify him in doing so. Nor does it appear that any special precautions were taken under the circumstances. The Master, however, has not appeared before the Court, and the Court is informed that he has left the port, although there were grounds for believing that before he left he was aware that a 'Court would be appointed to investigate the casualty to his ship. His departure, therefore, has the appearance of an unwillingness to appear before such a Court. In his absence, however, and without his having an opportunity of making a defence, the Court does not deal with his certificate. The Officers appear to have conducted themselves in a proper and becoming manner under -- the circumstances.

THE U.S.-CHENGTU COMMISSION.

[N. C. Daily News, Pebruary 8rd.] The United States Cheogtu Commission has returned, having arrived here safely on Saturday after four months of arduous travel. We are glad to learn that the Chiqese officials, everywhere in the four provinces traversed, were most friendly, especially so at Chengiu, where the Viceroy, who is described as a splendidly capable ruler, has the people thoroughly in hand. Every facility was given the Commission in the conduct of its investigation; there were no signs of obstructiveness, and the missionary claims were promptly agreed to, and the returning missionaries received in the most friendly manner. In Chengtu every diligence was being shown in searching out the official: who were implicated in the outrages, W believe that it is fairly well established that the cause of the riot at Chengtu was a alleged by the speakers at the meetings in Shanghair and in this connection we may mention that the U.S. Department of State has expressed its strong approval of the action of the American meeting here, and the cours taken by the U.S. Consul-General in the matter. The work of the Commission promises to be of great value as a preventive of ricts in the future : and the Commissioners must be congratulated on the thoroughness and complete discretion with which they have carried out the difficult work imposed on them by the U.S. Government, as well as on the success that has crowned their labours. Their report has to go to Peking and thence to Washington before it can be made public in China.

·[Shanghai Mercury, February Brd.] American citizens at Shanghai are gratified to learn that the Commission of Inquiry into the Chengiu riots of May-June, 1895, has reached this port thoroughly satisfied with the results of the mission. Thus the principle claimed by the American citizens here of their right to appeal direct for aid to Washington has been substaintlated by not only the institution of such a Commission but with the result that, so far as claims have been advanced, complete retribution on the part of the Chinese Government its officials, with promises of protectthe future, has been made, The course Mr. Jernigan took is sitending the | but also the percentage of marks obtained in meetings of American citizens and representing | each subject by each boy, and the percentage of their views to his Government has also been supported by the State Department. Although as the actual number of passes and failures the Commission was late in season in setting | awarded to each boy. out for the scene of the riot, its ultimate arrival at Chengtu has had a most salutary effect, and where, but a few months ago, the populace, where some boys have been so long and some so headed by the officials, heaped every indignity | short a time under tuition, the work showed on the foreigners, toro down their residences great unevenness. But what is less easily acand compelled them to fly as refugees to the | countable is the fact that the boys in one class. treaty ports, the natives, represented by new | not excepting the First, showed great desparity officials, unitedly have done homage to the of knowledge or of power to reproduce it. There foreign official protectors of the missionaries. | were a good many cases of conspicuous success. At Changin everything was done that possibly but there was also a lamentable amount of weak could be done to conclisate the Commission and | and inaccurate Work. The best subjects were prove that the authorities recognised the im- writing, sigebra, and bookkerping, and the worst portance of their mission and the objects they | conversation, composition, Latin, Euclid," had in view. The Commission took just seventy | " Finally, while we recognise in the work of days on the journey from Tientsin to Chengtu, Individual boys evidence of sound and careful a wearlsome and trying journey in the extreme, | teaching, the general efficiency of the work the whole distance covered, including the journey suppeared to us to be small. We think that to Shanghai, being about 3,600 miles. Mule- boys are pushed on too rapidly, and we feel carts were used for a certain distance until sure that more attention should be given to the road led over mountainous country, when the teaching and the study of English, Westrong official chairs were secured, and the believe that much good might be effected, and entry into Chengiu was made in chairs, the standard of efficiency raised, if the ability The Commission passed though the four and energy of the European staff were directed. provinces of Chihli, Shansi, Shensi, and Sas- | more to the Chinese boys. And we are not chuen, and on arriving at the bordering towns | confident that it is for the wellare of the School. of each province the guards of native soldiers | or in the interests of the education of the were thanged, each Vicesoy furnishing & special & Chinese, that the now-Chinese boys should be

I could not make certain, even with my glasses, missioners stopped at the officials in charge to them. being altered between Lycemoon and Cust facilities afforded by Chinese hospitality. In fact, the general orderly behaviour of the boys. entered port about 0:20 p.m., when nearing Cape to be made at wayside inns, starts 'made needed their assistance." D'Aculiar light: The Captain was on the bridge. at early dawn, and the day's journey to When passing the light we were steering by the | be done in unfriendly weather, the lot of land. The Captain was giving all directions. | the Commissioners was unpleasant in the extreme. On entering a large city, for the sake of creating an imposing impression, the little train was halted and a kind of military order formed and, preceded by the "Stars and Stripes." the entry was made. The first exposed to the mathematics 1895; Li Kin-ching, A.A., Wong Inclemency of the weather soon gave out, being | Ting-sun, A.A. reduced to a few shreds. The road from Tientsin to Chungking was found by the Commission to be excellent in its way compared with Chinese ordinary roads, the Szechuen portion expecially so. This road, called the Northern Road, is really the one over which Marco Polo travelled. The entry into Chengia was made in silence, but a courteous welcome was extended by the officials. A kungkeous was specially prepared. an official house being used for that purpose, and everything done for the accommodation of the Commissioners, even to providing domestic mtensils and putting glass windows in the building. The inquisy at Chengtu was soon concluded. The officials admitted, without any contradiction, the reports of the missionaries presented and did not dispute the claim of the American Methodist Episcopal Mission, who claimed Tis. 30,325, and this sum promptly passed for payment. In fact, the officials were eager to settle every claim without delay, but this could not be done as only the above claim was formulated. On the Commission leaving, the officials, to show their desire for conciliation and their endeavours to extend every possible protection, invited the China Inland Mission to use the kungkwan for their mission work until it was convenient for that mission to secure other premises. The effect of such an official building being occupied by foreigners for the propagation of Christianity cannot but appeal with greater force to the people as to the intention of the officials to protect and uphold such work. The sole duty of the Commission was to Inquire into the outrages and make a report to Washington, not in any way to try or judge the defendants, and to settle only affairs financially where such sufferers had formulated a claim and desired a settlement, This the Commission has accomplished, and with such good grace and evident results that the impression of their visit to Chengin associated with their mission will not be forgetten by the natives, official and otherwise, for many a day, The Vicercy of Szechuen is considered a strongminded man, who states that he is determined to prevent any repetition of last year's disturbances. He has also made known his desire that the foreigners should return to Chengtu, when he will promise them every protection against insult and persecution. Not only has this effect been produced in Chengiu, but in every city or town through which the Commission has passed, the great deference of the officials leads one to assume a like conclusion. As stated on Saturday, the Commissioners-who all look well and the better for their trip—will stay at Shanghal to formulate their report, which will most probably be forwarded direct to Washington, subject to the decision of Mr. Denby.

QUEEN'S COLLEGE.

THE EXAMINERS REPORT.

The following is 'the Examiners' report submitted at the prize distribution yesterday :---The Examiners were the Rev. R. F. Cobbold, M.A. and Rev. W. Pearce, and their report is addressed to the Governing Body of the College, It is very long and would occupy three columns if reproduced in full. The following are extracts from it:-

"In accordance with instructions received from-you we have-examined,-either by written work or orally, all the subjects taught in the College, including the Chinese school with the exception of shorthand, which we understand is at an elementary stage, it being undesirable that boys commencing this subject should be subjected to any test in it until they have arrived at a certain standard of efficiency.

"The examination occupied eleven days (January and to 16th), exclusive of one day given to the Chinese school; and on eight of these days the work was carried on in the afternoon

as well as in the morning. "Papers were set in all the subjects offered except reading, convenation, and the pupil Great care was taken to preserve, as far as pos- Company. sible, the standard hitherto adopted in the annual examinations, the quations being carefully chosen to test the knowledge which had been imparted to the boys in those portions of their subjects which they had been taught.' Only three instances was it pointed out by the Head Master that we had exceeded this limit, and then due allowance was made in the awarding of marks. The papers were generally slightly longer than usual, in order to give as much scope as possible; and it is hoped that the tabulated results on the mark sheets may afford some means of comparison between the work in this examination and that of last year. have, however, in order to avoid too severe m test, taken 40 per cent, instead of 50 cor cent. for the minimum of marks neces-

sary to obtain a " pass." It was thus possible for any boy," doing a little well, to pass. "In reporting upon the work of \$56 boys it is impossible, without being inconveniently lengthy, to give more than a general view of the examiners' opinion of the work done. To do this would necessitate a detailed report upon each class, or set of parallel divisions, and as this cannot be done we would draw attention to the mark sheets, which have been prepared to show not only the order of merit in each division. passes in each subject in each division, as well

"With regard to the actual work, as might Dr. be expected in a school of this kind and size,

Anchorage, but I could not make out what they guard to the Commission whilst it passed in separate classes, and consequently the whole were, though I thought them to be riding lights. | through his province. At every city the Com- | time of two European masters be given entirely that they were riding lights. I saw no vessel at | exercised every courtesy and did all they possibly | "We are pleased to be able to report very the Dock buoys. I noticed that the course was | could do to entertain their visitors with the [avourably on the discipline of the School and in their official receptions nothing was Lastly, our thanks are due to the Head Master Arthur Roberts Woodrow, the second officer, lacking that the Chinese officials could and the Assistant Masters for their ready said :- I went on the bridge on the night we possibly offer. Yet at times, when halts had co-operation with us in all matters where we PRIZE LIST. The following is the Prize List :-OXFORD LOCAL EXAMINATIONS, 1895. Senior. U Hang-kem, A.A. 1804; distinguished in

Junior. Harold Seth, Chau King-tuing (over age Sham Hol-lam (over age).

PRELIMINARY. Charles Ellis, Frank Long.

SCHOLARSHIPS. Morrison, Senior, IA, Wong Ting-sun. Morrison, Junior IVA, Wong Kal-leung. Stewart, IA, Chau King-tsing. Bellios, Senior. IA, Sin Cheung. Belilios, Junior, IC, C. H. Lee SPECIAL PRIZES.

Translation, English to Chinese, Ju Kü-ün, IA. (Merit), Tsul Hung, IA. Translation, Chinese to English, Wong Leung-tso, IA.

Mathematics, Li VII, IA. History, IA, Luk Ki-kwong. History, IB, She Kun-ying. History, Ic. F. Long.

Composition, IA, Wong Cheung-tso; IB, Chan Che; Ic, F. Long, IIA, Chan Chul-du; IIB, U Tik-un; IIC, M. Silas. IIIA. Wong Pak-ming; IIIB, Leung Sik-ying.

PUPIL TRACHERS. Senior, U Tsung-hong. Junior, Sin Cheung.

CLASS PRIZES. I.A., 1, Wong Ting-sun, Morrison Scholarship Chau King-tsing, Stawart Scholarship, 3, Li Ut. merit.

I.B., r, Chan Ming-tsung ; 2. Wong Ping-man. I.C. A., I, C. Ellis; 2, A. R. Fukeera. I.C. B., I. C. Sllas. II.A., I., Jū Kū-ūu ; 2, Ho Kau-kwau,

II.B, T, Ho Shiu-tsung ; 2, Fan U-kal. II.C. A., r, E. A. G. May; 2, A. Seedim Home Work, E. Ismail. II.C. R., I. R. Abraham. ·III.A., r, Lo Pun-fal ; 2, Im Yat-wing.

III.B. r. Chung Kwok-leung; 2, U'Shin-kwai. IV.A., I, Wong Kal-leung, Morrison Scholarship, Junior ; 2, Tse Tsing-fong. IV. n. 1, Tang Fuk; 2, Chul Tso-wal. IV. C., I. Wong Ip-shu: 2, Chul Ng-tang.

V. A., I. Leung Iu-pan; Wong Shul-tsun, merit : Hoossin Hassan. V. B. I. Fune Ho-cheung; 2, Un Sik-hing. VI. A., r. An Yuk-cheung ; 2, Chan Yan-chung. VI. B, I, Chi Ting-cheung; 2, Cheung Lin-

VI. C., I, Tsol Sai-yong; 2, Pun Check. VII. A., I. Fok Sik-leung; z. Chu Tez-yan; Consolation, Ho Shal-wing. VII. B., Cheung Wa-ler; 2, Sun Wanun.

VIII. A., I, Ho Cheuk-ying; 2, Ho Sham. VIII. B , t, Fung Iu-hi. VIII. C., I, Tsoi Tak-kung. CHINESE SCHOOL. Forinightly Examinations.

r, Mok Mun; 2, Sung Man-wing. CLASS PRIZES. I., I. Mok Mun, merit; 2, Ng Pok-wan. II., I, Pun Chung-kit; 2, Chan Chul-kwong. III., 1, Wong Kal-leung, merit; 2, Sung Man-

wing, merit; 3, Fung King-man. IV., I, Wong Wal-shing; 2, Ip Yung, V., r. Cheung Yuk-fal; 2, Wong Tak-kwong. VI. I. Ip Shiu; 2. Lau Kam-lam. VII, 1, Wong Shlu-tsun. VIII., I, Wong Lai-chiu.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. LIMITED.

ESTABLISHED 1868.

\$16,215.47. Of the assets \$1,500 had been The following is the report for presentation to realized, and the balance were book debts. the shareholders at the twenty-seventh ordinary which it was thought by the Official Receiver general meeting of the above Company, to be would be difficult to collect. held at the offices of the General Managers on Thursday, the 27th instant, at noon :here at the suggestion of Messre Villa, Lopes & The General Managers and Consulting Com-Co., Barcelona, who supplied him with \$10,000

mittee have pleasure in laying before the shareteachers' practical work, which were taken orally. I holders the twenty-reventh annual report of the 1804 ACCOUNT.—The result of the year?

> working shows a profit of \$92.503.93, which sum, with the approval of the Consulting Committee, it is now proposed to deal with as follows :---Bonus to contributing shareholders ... \$20,103.9 Dividend of \$9.05 per share 72,400.00

1805 ACCOUNT.—This account shows balance at credit of \$260,712.64. MORTOAGES.—The General Managers and Consulting Committee are satisfied that the securities held by the Company form an ample guarantee for the advances made.

CONSULTING COMMITTEE. - Messis J. Moses and C. J. Holliday having left the Colony Messrs!M. D. Excklel and A. Ross have been nominated to the vacant seats, and their appointment regulter to be confirmed. The present members, Messrs Chater, Bird, Lewis, Ezekiel and Ross retire, but offer themselves for seelection.

AUDITORS.—The accounts have been audited by Messis Fullation Henderson and A. Coxon, whose re-election is recommended. JARDINE, MATHESON CO.

General Managers, Hangkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited. Hongkong, 4th February, 1896 BALANCE SHEET, 31ST DECEMBER, 1801.

Zlabilities. Capital subscribed ...\$2,000,000.00 Amount paid-up \$ 400,000.00 Reserve fund 1,000,000,00 Uncollected dividends Accounts payable Working account, 1894-Net Profit Working account, 1895-

> below 260,712.64 \$ 1,793,205.04

Cash, on current account with Hongkong and Shai Banking Corporation ... \$ 12,961.52 Cash in hands of General Managers . Fixed deposits— Hongkong & Shanghal Banking Corporation......\$300,000 00 Chartered Bank of India, Austr., and

Amount, brought forward from

Mercantile Bank of

appeal wis against the decision of Mr. Chief China 50,000.00 Justice Cer, the appellants being Seah Eng India, Limited ... 10,000.00

Mostgaget illegitimate grandsons of the tratator. In his In Horgkong \$654,500.00 will the testator left his property, valued at In Shanghal 442,146.03 about \$2,000,000, to his sons and at their In Foctow...... 59,000.00 death to their male issue. In another clause In Amoy 20,000.00 of this will be referred to the appellants and respondents as his grandsons, and under Lovestmentsa rule of English law such are prime facte Chinese Imperial legitimate, and the respondents therefore claimed Government Loan. to share in the above mentioned bequest. In the 1886**\$ 33,**066.60 Court below, the Chief Justice decided that the Hongkog and Kowreference to the illegitimate children by name lenn Whari and was sufficient to show that the testator intended Godown Company, them to benefit. The Court now decided that 'Ld. Debentures... 60,000.00 they could not benefit and upheld the appeal; 200 Shares in the costs of all parties to come out of the estate. Mr. Hongkong: Land Fort (of Donaldson and Burkinshaw) and Mr. Investment Co. Ld. Napier (of Drew and Napier) were counsel for 5 Shares in the China the appellants, Mr. Sasson for the respondents. Fire Insurance Co., and Mr. Brydges (of Khory and Brydges) for Limited the trusice.—Straits Times. 375.00 Steam Fire Engines 2,000.00 Accounts Receivable..... 92,425.68

\$1,793,205.04

8,761.60

6,500.00

92,503.93

\$180,213.78

180,211.78

\$353.671.69

\$353,671.69

WORKING ACCOUNT, 1894.

To Losses and Claims paid,\$ 72,448.25 ,, Return Premia and Re-insur-

By Balance from last account.....\$ 167,223.10

8 3,145.22

Ances,

Committee and Auditors ...]

" Remuneration to Consulting)

Balance as above,

Profiton Exchange......

Government...... 1,256.49

.. Fire Brigade Expenses

Exchange

By Net Premis received, less Returns

E. & O. E.

statements are in accordance therewith.

Hongkong, 4th February, 1896,

WORKING ACCOUNT, 1895.

To Losses and Claims paid..... \$ 41,928.66

" Charges...... 21,399 28

.. Balance as above...... 260,712.64

and Reinsurances \$250,085.06

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers.

F. HENDERSON, Auditors.

, Interest 103,438.63

We have examined the books and vouchers

A. Coxon,

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE

IN BANKRUPTCY.

(Before Hon. W. M. Goodman, Acting Chief

Fustice.)

February 7th.

PUBLIC EXAMINATION OF MR. R. F. BIRCHALL

Birchall was held yesterday afternoon, Mr. A

Seth was present as Official Receiver, and Mr

According to his statement of affairs, the debtor's

The debter explained that he started business

worth of goods, part of which were sold here and

to disconnect themselves from their liability

They had put in a claim for \$40,000 since the

After a long examination into details, his

would adjudicate the debtor, and would adjourn

SUMMARY JURISDICTION.

(Before His Honour Mr. Justice Wise.)

February 7th.

FIXTURES.

The following cases have been set down for

debtor) did not consider them as creditors.

the examination until the 20th inst.

the respective dates :--

following cases :--

Tuesday, February 11th.

Wednesday, February 12th.

138-Cheong Yu Shing v. Wing Chuk

148-Ya Hag Lung v. Wei Lung

149-Tai Shing v. Wel Lung

IŠI-Hoj Wo v. Wel Lung.....

152-Hing Lee Hop Kee v. Wei Lung

143-Lo So Shi v. Ng Piu Lau

145—Shelk Mahomed v. Ching Kee ...

147-Kaser Singh v. Tsong Shing

155-T. M. Lopes and another v. R.

146-Worg Tsoi v. So Ngau Ma

142-Lam Kl Shek v. Tam Ngok 25.00

160-Sang Lang firm v. Miss Datton . 72.80

SINGAPORE, January 28th.

A CHIMESE WILL CASE.

LETT HELECTROPICS CONTRACTOR CONTRACTOR

E. J. Grist appeared for the debtor.

The public examination of Edward Frank

.. Commissions 26,985.29

investments.....\$ 2,818.00

Increased value of

. Profit on sale of

Hongkong Inland Lot

No. 37

Less lou en propert

Hongrong R.P. of

Inland Lot No. 264.

resumed by the

SHIPPING AND MAIL NEWS.

MAILS DUE : English (Mirsapore) 10th inst. German (Prins Heinrich) 10th int. Indian (Catherine Apcar) 11th int. American (Peru) 13th inst. American (Coptic) 15th inst. Canadian (Empress of Fapan) a6th inst. American (Dorte) 29th inst.

SHIPPING RETURNS. From 5 p.m. yesterday to 5 p.m. to-day. ARRIVALS.

Hongkongsteamer, from Halphong. Pelchine Shanghal. Boynton Katchinotzu. Swatow Haiphong. Sabine Richmers ... Aggregating 4,582 tons register. DEPARTURES.

Halloongsteamer, for Coast Poris, SIRA Chingtu Australia. Brunhilds Bingkok, Nerite Shanghai. Aggregating 10,632 tons register.

The British steamship Boyston left Kutchinotzu on the and instant, and had strong north-east winds and high sea from port to port.

The British steamship Felching lelt Shanghai on the 4th instant, and had atrong north-eass monsoon and following sea and dark misty weather throughout.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK RETURNS. Chowfa..... in Kowloon Dock. Coloma Namoa Rhodora j, Cosmopelitan Onsang..... Amigo Aberdeen of the Company and certify that the above | Strathdon

OUR REGARDS TO MR. RUSSELL.

THE writer of these lines hereby tenders to Mr. W. Olark Russell the assurance of his thanks, and appreciation.—I-have-always-loved-see-stories,-andthose of Mr. Russell stand at the head of their class, Landsmen!" I have read them all. Yet salt water. and the things thereon and therein, are not the only things he knows about; not by many degrees of

In his last book he makes a sailor talk thus : "I have suffered from the liver in my time and know what It is to have feld mad. I say I have known moments when I could scarce restrain myself from breaking windows, kicking at the shins of all who approached me, knocking my head against the wall velling with the yell of one who drops in a fit and all the while my brain was as healthy as the healthlest that ever filled a human skull, and nothing was wanted but a musketry of calomal pills to dislodge the flend," assets amounted to \$3,493 67 and his liabilities to

> So much for what Mr. Russell's sailor (or Mr. Russell himself) says; and there are plenty of people who can testify that this is not a bit over-drawn. One fact in particular it helps us to realise namely. that the life of a sailor does not guarantee good health. Indigestion and dyspensis—of which liver complaint is a sequence and a symptom—is as common among sailors as among landsmon.

part in Manila. It was verbally understood One of the latter, however, may now tell of his between him and the firm that he was to have experience. "All my life," he appr, "I had suffered 25 per cent commission. He had a power of from billousness and slok headaches. I would have an attack about every three weeks. At moh times attorney authorising him to establish a branch of the Battlona firm in the Philippines. but it my appetite left me, and I could neither est nor was verbally understood he was to establish an drink for days together. I suffered from dreadful agency where he thought best. In consequence sickness and straining, and vomited a greenish-vellow of a notice and "express" issued locally his fluid. My head felt as though it would burit. I had bad taste in the mouth, sallow skin, and the whites (the debur's) credit had been ruined, and he the eyes turned yellow. I was recommended to contended that the Barcelona firm now wished adopt a vegetarian diet, and did so, but the attacks were just as frequent and violent. I consulted doctors and took their medicines, but was none the better for bankruptcy papers had been filed, but he (the it. In this way I went on year after year,"

Well, we shall agree that there could scarcely be a worse way to go on, and it all came shout thus t Lordshipl at the request of Mr. Grist, said he The overworked stomach put more work on the liver than the later could do. Indignant and disgusted at this the liver refused to do a stroke more than its proper share. Hence more bile accumulated in the blood than the liver was able to remove. This surplus bile acts as a slow poison-and not so very slow either. The tongue is forred; the head sohes and feels dull and heavy; the eyes and skin are greenish yellow; there is disziness and nauses; cold hands and feet; spots before the eyes; a pungent, bitting fluid rises into the throat; constipation; high coloured kidney secretion; prostrated nerves; irritability; loss of ambition; fears

and forebodings, &c., &c. This is "billousness" or "liver complaint" in its simplest form. When long amoheoked it produces irregular action of the heart, rheumatism, gout, and 102.39 any, or all, of a dozen other organic disorders. There is no more certain or powerful impulse to 141-Leusg Rum v. Kwan Yiu Teng 10.37 misbehaviour; suicide and other orines often

228.70 What to do ? To get rid of the poison by starting 150 -Sing Kee v. Wei Lung 100 42 the skin and bowels into energetic action; then to 63.27 keep them going at a healthy and natural gait. How 47.35 to do this? Let our friend Mr. F. Widger, 4, Judgment was given for the plaintiffs in the Portland Square, Plymouth-whom we have just quoted-speak on that point. In his letter, dated March 8rd, 1898, he sids : .

"Two years ago, after all medicines had failed to help me, I first heard of Mother Belgel's Curative 27.00 Syrup. I procured it from Mr. R. S. Luke, Chemist, 225.00 Tavistock Boad, and began to use it, and nothing 5.00 else. After having consumed one bottle I found myself vastly better, and by continuing with it I got We should mention that "Mr. Widger is a tailor

and outfitter at Plymouth, and well known and respected in that community. ... He permits us to use his name out of gratitude for his recovery. The potency of Mother Belgel's Curative Syrup over liver This morning Mr. Justice Law and Mr. Just disease is due to its ability to ours indigetion, and tice Leach delivered very lengthy and exhaus- dyspepsis, which is (as we have said) the course of tive judgments in a Chinese will suit. The liver disease.

Bivery house on the land, and every thip on the see, should have this remedy as a necessary part of Kint and Seah Eng Koon the legitimate grand. | their stook and stores. Ferhaps Mr. Russell may sons of the testaker, the father of Mr. Seak | recommend to in his nest book, But no umusicity Loang feets The respondents were the second site! Of her-Ladel

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION VALUABLE OLD CHINESE PORCELAIN, CURIOS AND EMBROIDERIES.

THE Undersigned has received instructions: to Sell by

PUBLIC AUCTION, TO-MORROW (SATURDAY), the 8th February, 1896, commencing at 2,30 P.M. at his Sales Rooms, Duddell STREET, (having just arrived from the North),

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TERMS OF SALE :- As customary. GEO. P. LAMMERT. Auctioneer. Hongkong, 3rd February, 1806.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. No. 26.

THE following Particulars and Conditions of Sale of Crown Land by Public Auction. to be held on the spot, on MONDAY,

the 10th day of February, 1896, at 4 P.M., are published for general information. By Command.

I. H. STEWART LOCKHART, Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office,

Hongkong, 25th January, 1896. Particulars and Conditions of the letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on Monday, the 10th day of February, 1896, at 4 P.M., by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of One Lot of CROWN LAND, at Yaumati, Kowloon, in the

Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75 Years.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT. Boundary Measurements. N. S. L. W. n. n. a. a. Inland Yaumati Lot No. (N. of K. 7 | 674.5 | I. L. 659) 50 | 50 | 150 | 150 | 7,500 | 106 | 7

Notice of Pirms.

NOTICE

T HAVE This Day Established myself as SHIP AND GENERAL BROKER.

C. P. KARBERG. Hongkong, 1st February, 1806. NOTICE

LLOYD'S REGISTER OF BRITISH AND FOREIGN SHIPPING, HONGKONG,

HAVE appointed Mr. WILLIAM HENRY WALKER as Acting Surveyor to the above Society during my Temporary Absence from the Colony.

> ANDREW JOHNSTON, Surveyor to Lloyd's Register of British and Foreign Shipping.

o, Praya Central, Hongkong, 5th February, 1806. NOTICE.

TT is hereby notified that, with the consent of the Shareholders, the PARTNERS constituting the CHAP YIK COMPANY have DISSOLVED PARTNERSHIP and that the Steamers Chartered by the CHAP YIK COM-PANY, namely, the Cosmopolit and Triumph,

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Hongkong, 14th January, 1806. [196 TO LET. FFICE and ROOM in "BEACOMEFIELD

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SIEN TING, SURGEON DENTIST. No. 10, PAGUILAR STREET. TERMS VERY MODERATE. Consultation from

Honebesig, dylle Boptonbor, 1895.

CITY HALL

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A.M. to 4 P.M. Prices \$3. \$2 and \$1. The Public are reminded that NO CHITS WILL BE TAKEN at the Booking Office. LATE TRAMS .15 minutes after each Perfor-

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DODWELL, CARLILL & Co. Honokong, 5th February, 1866. INDO-CHINA STRAM NAVIGATION

COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA. -THE Company's Steamship

'KUTSANG.' Captain Geo., Payne, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the roth instant, at 3 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to TARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 4th February, 1806.

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. THE Steamship

" RADNORSHIRE," Captain Davies, R.N.R.; will be despetched at above on or about TUESDAY, the Tith Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.

Hongkong, 3rd February, 1896. FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL THE Steamship

"PORT ADELAIDE" will be despatched about 21st February. S.S. "GHAZEE" will be despatched about 4th March.

For Freight or Passage, apply to . DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 5th February, 1806.

"SHELL" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR LONDON AND HAMBURG. THE Company's Steamship

J**"NERITE!** Captain W. Daniel, will be despatched as above on or about SATURDAY, the 22nd instant. To be followed by the Company's Steamship "SPONDIEUS." which will do despatched, for the above destina-For Freight, apply to
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Agents.

Hongkong, 1th February, 1546,

Shipping.

STEAMERS.

"CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY. LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, SAMARANG AND SOURABAYA. THE Steamship

"SHANTUNG." Captain Frampton, will be despatched a MONDAY, the roth February. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

Hongkong, 30th January, 1896. "GLEN" LINE OF STEAM PACKETS. FOR MARSEILLES AND LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Steamship "GLENESK," Eastain Webster, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 11th instant, at 4 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, 4th February, 1806. [100

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE. STEAM TO

YOKOHAMA. KOBE AND NAGASAKI (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) THE Company's Steamship

" HOHENZOLLERN," Captain P. Wettin, will leave for the above Ports. on or about TUESDAY, the 11th instant. For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,

Hongkong, 6th February, 1806. NORDDEUTSCHER-LEOYD. -N-'O-T-I-C-E.

STEAM, TO, SHANGHAL THE Company's Steamship

"PRINZ HEINRICH.". Captain W. Schmölder, due here with the outward German Mail about the 10th Instant, will leave for the above place about 24 hours after arrival. For further Particulars, apply to ____ MELCHERS & Co.,

Hongkong, 6th February, 1806. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL. THE Company's Steinship

. "Pyrrhus," Captain Batt, will be despatched as above or WEDNESDAY, the 12th instant, For Freight or Passage, app'y to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents. Hongkong, 6th February, 1855. AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGA TION COMPANY. Under Mail Contract with the Austrian

GOVERNMENT). STEAM TO SHANGHAI AND KOBE. THE Company's Steamship

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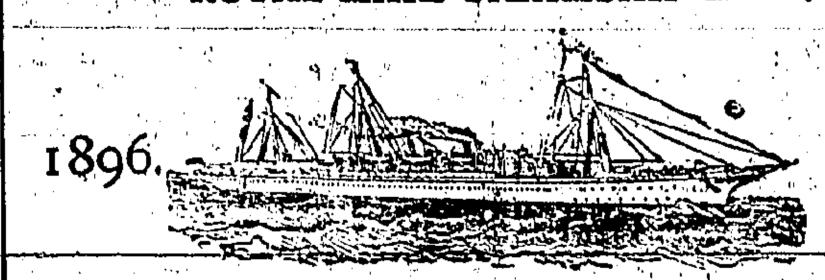
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